

Nursing and physician attire as possible source of nosocomial infections.

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This study found that 63% of hospital staff members' uniforms were colonized with potentially pathogenic bacteria. However, it is unknown whether these bacteria are transmitted to patients.